

City of Charlotte Economic Development Committee (EDC) Retreat

Date: August 16, 2018, 12 PM - 4 PM

Location: Goodwill Opportunity Campus, 5301 Wilkinson Boulevard, Bank of America Conference Room#2352

Retreat Goals

- 1. Economic Development Strategic Plan: Review the planning goals, process, schedule, and key insights learned to date. Provide EDC's input to help shape the final plan.
- 2. Economic Development Policies: Discuss policies and provide EDC's input into future policy direction.

Retreat Agenda

- 1. Welcome and Review of Retreat Goals
- 2. Group Exercise
- 3. Framing What Works Related to our Economic Development Efforts
- 4. Overview of How We Are Formulating Our Strategic Plan
- 5. Highlights and Group Discussion on Our Strategic Plan's Key Inputs to Date
- 6. Break 15 Minutes
- 7. Group Input for The Plan SWOT Analysis: Internal and External
- 8. Group Review, Discussion and Input on Key Economic Development Policies
- 9. Wrap Up and Next Steps

John W. Martin, CEO, Institute for Tomorrow, will help facilitate the retreat.